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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Responsive to the Office Action of June 27, 2007, the shortened statutory period for response thereto having been extended so as to expire on October 27, 2007, reconsideration of the Action and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested and are believed to be appropriate in view of the following amendments and/or remarks: